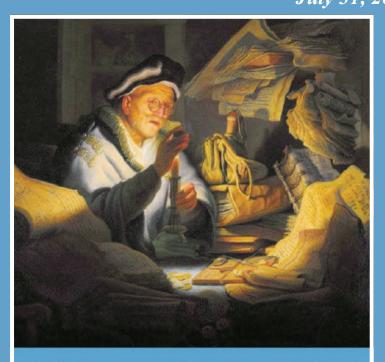
# OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH and IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH July 31, 2022



## 18<sup>™</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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### SACRAMENTAL/PRAYER LIFE

#### Our Lady of Fatima

**Mass Schedule:** 

9:00 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

5:00 p.m. Saturday

**Eucharistic Adoration:** 

9:45-11:00 a.m. Monday

**Reconciliation/Confession:** 

4:15 p.m. Saturday

#### **Immaculate Conception**

**Mass Schedule** 

8:30 a.m. Sunday

Anointing the Sick & Baptism: Please contact

the Rectory to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Please contact the Rectory at least 6

months in advance.

Homebound / Hospitalized: Communion

brought to anyone unable to attend Mass. Call Paul Gorman 603-526-4353

Visits to homebound: Call Betsy Anderson.

603-568-3511

#### **PARISH MISSION**

Our Lady of Fatima and Immaculate Conception Parish is a Catholic faith community called by God to holiness. Our calling is realized in a spirit of love, unity and hospitality. As a faith community, we will deepen our knowledge and love of God in Christ. We will seek to contribute our time, talent and other celebrated in sacramental life, especially Eucharist.

Our Lady of Fatima New London



Saturday, July 30, 5 PM

Janet Eaton by Bernadette & Brian Eaton

**Sunday, July 31, 8:30 AM** 

Donald Martin by Pat & Jack Sheehan

**Sunday, July 31, 10:30 AM** 

Bronislawa Pawlowska by Her Family

Monday, Aug 1, 9 AM

Ovila Blais

Tuesday, Aug 2, 9 AM

Intentions of Pauline Lizotte by The Parish

Wednesday, Aug 3, 9 AM

Intentions of Teresa Jackson by The Parish

Saturday, August 6, 5 PM

Intentions of Fr. Don On His Birthday by Karen

Sunday, August 7, 8:30 AM

Charlie Wittenberg by Neil Wallace

Sunday, August 7, 10:30 AM

Stephen Lotterhand by His Wife

### FR. DON'S VACATION

Fr. Don has coordinated coverage for the weekend Masses of August 13/14 and August 20/21. Daily Mass will be suspended beginning Monday August 15th and resume August 29<sup>th</sup>. We hope to have the tree issues addressed and the parking lot redone during that time.

# **VOCATIONS**

"One's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." If simplicity of life and the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience especially attract you, discover that life as a priest, deacon, sister or brother. Contact the Vocation Office at (603) 663-0196 or email: mmason@rcbm.org.

#### OLF- IC WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

July 24	
E-Giving	\$2,857
Envelopes	\$1,020
Loose Cash	\$4,140
Total	\$8,017
Target	\$7,800
Difference-exceeds budget	+\$217

Thank you for your generosity!

# **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23

Ps 90:3-4,5-6,12-13,14,17 [1] Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

Monday: Jer 28:1-17

Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102

Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22

Ps 102:16-18,19-21,29 and 22-23

Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7

Jer 31:10,11-12ab,13

Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34

Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19

Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7

Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41

Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14

Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19

Lk 9:28b-36

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9

Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 [12b] Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 12:32-48

# **OFFICE CLOSURE**

The office continues to be closed each Friday during August. Please plan accordingly.

# PRAY WITH US!



The Rosary is one of the most well known and easily recognized Catholic devotional practices. The repetition in the rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery. The gentle reiteration of the words helps us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells. Join us at 6:15 Monday nights at IC and on Tuesdays and Wednesdays after the 9 o'clock mass at OLF. We also pray the Rosary each Sunday before the 10:30 mass at OLF.



#### PARISH WEEK AT A GLANCE

<u>Sun Jul 31</u>, 10-10:15 Rosary Before Mass **Mon Aug 1**, 930-11 Adoration After Mass

10-11:30 Crafts - Hall

4:30 Intercessory Prayer Grp - IC

6:15pm Rosary - IC

Tue Aug 2, 7:45 Men's Bible Study

9:30 Rosary After Mass

Wed Aug 3, 9:30 Rosary After Mass

Fri Aug 5, Office Closed

Sun Aug 7, 10-10:15 Rosary Before Mass

#### PRAY FOR THE SICK

Doris Ebel Carolanne Carroll Amy Leonard Judy Lafond Bill Connors Linda Poire Marianne Rissolo Les Hawthorne Donna Bates Alice Rogers Connolly Michele Noyer Paula Valentino Sr. Maeve McDermott Margaret Marschner Carol Conforti-Adams Kathleen Anderson M.P. McEnrue

Carol Giordano Jack Miller Kristen Arigoni Richard Reed Isaac Walsh Barbara Kristl Ardyth Caccavo Chelsea Cascio Janice White Sarah Harris Neil Hatch Margaret Henneberry Michael Holt James Mitchell Joey DeVito **Barbara Whited** Cailyn Dezotell

Please help us keep this list current by contacting 603-526-4484 or parishoffice@olfic.org.



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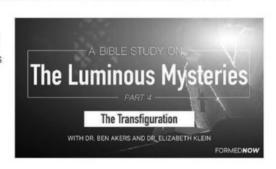
# **FORMED**°

PICK OF THE WEEK

July 31, 2022

#### A BIBLE STUDY ON THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES: THE TRANSFIGURATION

This week we celebrate the feast of the Transfiguration, the mountaintop manifestation of Christ's glory that we read about in the Gospel. As we recall this wondrous event, however, many questions might come to mind. Why did Moses and Elijah appear? Why did Jesus only bring Peter, James, and John? Hear the answers to these questions and more in this episode of FORMED Now.



#### TIPS FOR HARD OF HEARING PEOPLE

#### On communication with hearing people

RULE: Communication is a two-way street. Hard of hearing people must make as much effort as hearing people.

#### SET YOUR STAGE

Tell others how best to talk to you. Pick your best spot (light, quiet, proximity). Anticipate difficult situations, plan how to minimize them.

#### PROJECT YOUR COMMUNICATION

Pay attention. Concentrate on speaker. Look for visual cuEs. Ask for written cues if needed. Don't interrupt. Let conversation flow awhile to gain more meaning.

#### ESTABLISH EMPATHY WITH AUDIENCE React. Let speaker know how well he is doing. Don't bluff. Admit it when you don't understand, to prevent trouble. If too tired to concentrate, ask

for discussion later.

#### Self Help For Hard Of Hearing People, INC. 7910 Woodmont Ave Suite 1200 Bethesda MD 20814

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#### TIPS FOR HEARING PEOPLE

#### On communicating with hard of hearing people

RULE: When audio is poor, emphasize the visual. Practice special speaking skills.

#### SET YOUR STAGE

Face audience directly. Spotlight your face (no backlighting). Avoid noisy backgrounds. Get attention first. Ask how you can facilitate communication.

#### PROJECT YOUR COMMUNICATION

Don't shout. Speak clearly, at moderate pace. Don't hide your mouth, chew food, gum, or smoke while talking. Re-phrase if you are not understood. Use facial expressions, gestures. Give clues when changing subject.

#### ESTABLISH SYMPATHY WITH AUDIENCE

Be patient if response seems slow. Stay positive and relaxed. Talk to a hard of hearing person, not about him/her. Offer respect to help build confidence.

# Make hearing loss an issue of national concern.

# July 31, 2022

#### TAKE 5

**DIZZY YET?** 

Do you ever feel like the world is spinning out of control? You're not alone: Pope Francis has called this effect of modern culture "rapidification." It's not just you: Things really are happening, progressing, and becoming obsolete faster-including what many of us do for a living. We're not unlike the tragic lamplighter in Catholic author Antoine de Saint-Exupery's classic, The Little Prince. The lamplighter's planet is turning faster, but he sill operates at the same mortal speed. He must now respond to 1,440 sunsets where there used to be just one. Now more than ever, we need to honor our Sabbaths and take our rest.

## CRAFTERS FOR HOLIDAY FAIR



Join us in the parish hall on Monday, Aug 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> from 10-11:30 to create works of art for our annual Holiday Fair. Bring along your scissors and ideas. Enjoy some coffee and comradery.

Not comfortable meeting in person? That's okay, maybe you can participate by crafting something from home and sharing your items with us.

For more information contact Liz Stewart at <a href="mailto:stewart.lizbo@gmail.com">stewart.lizbo@gmail.com</a> or 201-572-3868.

# **KEARSARGE CHORALE**

The Chorale is a local volunteer group who will perform Handel's Messiah at two public concerts on November 19 and 20, 2022 at Our Lady of Fatima Church. Weekly practices begin Monday, **August 22**<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm at the First Baptist Church, New London in the choir room.

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